

Project Information

Project Number:

MT BIGHORN 46(1)

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Notice to Proceed:

04/1/2024

Fixed Completion Date:

9/30/2024

Project Description:

This project will rehabilitate the Warman Loop Road, including minor drainage improvements, installation of a box culvert at Warman Creek, subgrade stabilization and new asphalt surfacing of the roadway.

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Federal Highway Administration

WARMAN LOOP ROAD

Big Horn County Montana Project Updates

Current Construction Activities:

August 9, 2024

This week, the project received a substantial shipment of precast concrete box culvert segments. The delivery included various components of the culvert system, pre-fabricated to ensure precision and durability. Each section has been carefully designed and manufactured to meet specific engineering requirements, facilitating a smooth and efficient installation process. The arrival of these sections marks a significant step forward in the project.

Upcoming Construction Activities:

Next week, the contractor will continue the installation of the precast concrete box culvert sections. This phase involves not only positioning and securing each section in its designated location but also backfilling around the culvert to ensure stability and structural integrity. The process will include compacting the backfill material to eliminate any voids and provide a solid foundation, which is crucial for the long-term durability of the culvert. This ongoing work will play a vital role in advancing the construction schedule and preparing the site for subsequent phases of development.



Precast concrete box culverts are staged and ready for installation at the construction site, marking a key milestone in the project's progress. These sections will soon be positioned and backfilled to form a crucial part of the new drainage system.

Work Schedule:

Monday- Friday, 6:00 am - 6:00 pm

Road Closures: Warman Loop Road will be fully closed from the Western Highway 313 intersection to Cottonwood Camp Driveway

Access. To reach 3 Mile Fishing Access and local businesses/residences, use the detour from the eastern intersection of Highway 313 and Warman Loop Road.

Project Website: https://highways.dot.gov/federal-lands/projects/mt/bighorn-46-1

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